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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed within the shortened statutory period for response to the Office action mailed on September 5, 2007

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